



# The New Forest C of E (VA) Primary School

at Landford, Nomansland & Hamptworth

## Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

It was lovely to be involved in the 'Big Story' day this week. This is the first time that the children have worked together as a whole school this academic year. Today's focus was the 'Two Kings' - King David and King Solomon. Each year group focussed on a different part of the story and from it they formed some clear ideas about their roles. King David the boy king who came from nothing but took on the might of Goliath and King Solomon who had everything but wanted wisdom. This reminds me of my Dad he always says to me that he is the richest man in the world not because of what he possesses but because of the wife and family around him. Wisdom - something we all could do with.

During the morning Mrs Smith spent some time asking the children about the impact of the "Big Story' days. We wanted to really get a sense of whether they are adding value to the R.E. curriculum and what the children get out of them. From an R.E. perspective the purpose is for the children to understand the chronology of the bible and to collaborate with each other to get a deeper understanding of the key themes. From the conversations with the children this is certainly starting to become clear. We captured a few of those thoughts here....

### Year 5

"It's helping us learn more about the bible"

"BSD is fun and it helps you remember the order of the Bible, I thought David came after Jesus."

"Wisdom is more important than being rich"

"I knew there was Old Testament and New Testament, I didn't know the order."

### Year 6

" I learned how strong one stone can be, one small moment can change everything"

"I have learned how God helps everyone, it's not about the outside, it's the inside."

"The story of David and Goliath has taught me to be brave and have faith."

In addition to this across the school not only did children take part in art and drama activities they also used their writing skills to record the story, write blogs and share their thoughts on the characters. We will be displaying their work on both sites if you are in school as a celebration of the children's learning. I would like to thank Miss Morland and Mrs Smith for co-ordinating the morning and to all the teaching staff for their commitment to make the morning really meaningful.

On a safety note please make sure you remind the importance of road safety. I have had a number of reports of silly behaviour by the year 6 children as they walked home from school. I have spoken to the children about the expectations and, as I am sure you will agree, the responsibility will be removed if they can't walk home sensibly.

Please don't forget the Parent Focus Group is meeting next Wednesday at 6.00 at KS2. If you would like to be part of the group or bring up a topic then please email [parents@thenewforestschoo.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:parents@thenewforestschoo.wilts.sch.uk)

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## Help needed at KS2

If you would have an hour to spare to lend us a hand at KS2 before the frosts start, we need someone who could dig a 2ft hole to put in a tree like the one below. The tree would need to be secured with ready mix concrete to make sure it was stable.

If anyone could also prune the small fruit trees for us at the same time this would be very helpful.

If you would like to volunteer please speak to KS2 office or Caroline Morland

Thank you



# School News

## Thank you

to all those who donated shoe boxes to the Trussell trust appeal we collected 50 boxes

Please can all KS2 children bring a named water bottle every day



Now that the weather has changed please can children bring coats, hats & gloves. We have had some very cold children this week as the temperature has dropped so suddenly.

Thank you



*This term's 'Value for Life' is  
Compassion*

*Our school values from the  
Fruit of the Spirit are  
Love, Joy and Peace*

Stay2Play after school club is now full on a Tuesday & Thursday, the Mini-Bus from KS1 is also full on a Thursday so we are unlikely to be able to increase numbers on a Thursday.

*'Growing and Learning Together  
through Christian Values.'*





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Working together for our children

If you have  
any questions...

Class Teacher

Talk to your child's  
teacher first and  
then KS leaders  
if you have  
further questions.

KS1/KS2 Leader or  
SENCO

Headteacher

Governors



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# Christmas Disco

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November**

**@ KS2 School Hall**

**\*\*\* New Start Times \*\*\***

**KS1 5.00pm – 6.15pm KS2 6.30pm – 8.00pm**

**£5.00 on the door (includes HotDog)**


All children need to be signed in on arrival and collected by a parent/ nominated adult – contact numbers and first aid/ allergy information MUST be left on arrival. Thank you!






THE NEW FOREST SCHOOL PTA

# CHRISTMAS FAIR



Lots of games for the kids,  
Christmas Shopping, Tombolas,  
Cakes, and much more!


Enjoy a glass of mulled wine  
whilst the kids visit Father  
Christmas in his grotto!



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8 DECEMBER 2018 2 PM TO 5 PM  
KS2, THE NEW FOREST SCHOOL, SCHOOL  
ROAD, NOMANSLAND, SP5 2BY

WE WILL BE RUNNING MINIBUSES  
FROM LANDFORD STORES AT 1.45  
AND 3.00. ANOTHER RETURN BUS AT  
5.00 PM





**The New Forest School**  
**Christmas Cake Bake Off**

Please bake or buy a cake, any cake you like, this competition is all about the decoration, please decorate your cake as you would wish your Christmas Cake to be. Please bring along to the School Christmas Fayre on 8 December 2018 the competition will be judged by Emma Coleman and Pam.

There will be three sections:

KS1

KS2

Open to anyone

If you are going to enter could you please let us know so we know how many entries to expect [heatherdunning@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:heatherdunning@hotmail.co.uk) and head your email  
Christmas Cake Bake Off.

It is free to enter, there will be a prize for each group and we will be doing a silent auction of the cakes during the Fair.

Please make a note of ingredients used for any allergies and put your name and group for the purpose of Judging.



# Raise funds for The New Forest School every time you shop online

Find us on easyfundraising to start:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/thenewforestschool/>



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£ E20 Million raised

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100,000 causes



Come and grab a bargain  
just in time for  
Christmas...



Nearly new &  
second hand  
stalls plus  
crafts &  
handmade  
gifts.

# Table top Christmas sale

24th November  
10:00am - 1:00pm

Nomansland Recreation Clubhouse



GIFTS

CLOTHES

TOYS

BOOKS  
CAKES

...and lots  
more!

# Community News

## Church Diary Dates - November 2018

Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion at Bramshaw ( <i>Maggie Guillebaud</i> )
	11.00am	Patronal Festival Holy Communion at Landford ( <i>Len Lunn</i> )
	3.00pm	Evensong at Plaitford ( <i>Stephen Ings</i> )
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion at Bramshaw ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
	4.00pm	Christingle at Landford Village Hall ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Matins at Bramshaw ( <i>Stephen Ings</i> )
	9.30am	Matins at Plaitford ( <i>Stephen Ings</i> )
	11.00am	Holy Communion at Landford ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	United Carol Service at Landford Methodist ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
	3.00pm	Carol Service at Plaitford ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
	6.00pm	Carol Service at Bramshaw ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup>		No services
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	4.00pm	Tree Service at Plaitford ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
Christmas Eve	6.30pm	Carols by Candlelight at Landford ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
	11.00pm	Holy Communion at Bramshaw ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Family Service and Communion at Bramshaw ( <i>Bill Rogers</i> )
Christmas Day	10.00am	United Family Communion at Landford ( <i>David Bacon</i> )
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	United Service at Landford Methodist

# Diary Dates



**Bold Text = new or changed date**

## **November**

28th Parent Focus Group 6pm KS2

29<sup>th</sup> School Disco @ KS2

30<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Oaks

## **December**

2<sup>nd</sup> Christingle Service – Landford Village Hall

3<sup>rd</sup> Salisbury Schools Carol Service

7<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Pines

14<sup>th</sup> KS1 Nativity Play – Landford Village Hall

18<sup>th</sup> KS2 Carol Service – St Andrews Church

20<sup>th</sup> Forest Thursday Woodside

21<sup>st</sup> Whole School Christmas Party

21<sup>st</sup> Christmas Holiday 21<sup>st</sup> December – 4<sup>th</sup> January

## **January**

7<sup>th</sup> First Day of term

11<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Brambles

18<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Hamptworth

25<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Langley

## **February**

1<sup>st</sup> Forest Friday Lyburn

6<sup>th</sup> Big Story Day

8<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Oaks

15<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Pines

15<sup>th</sup> Last Day of Term – Half Term 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> February

25<sup>th</sup> First Day Term 4

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## **March**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Forest Friday Woodside
- 6<sup>th</sup> Spring Concert
- 7<sup>th</sup> World Book Day
- 8<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Brambles
- 12<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening
- 14<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening
- 15<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Hamptworth
- 15<sup>th</sup> Comic relief
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Forest Friday Langley
- 29<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Lyburn
- 29<sup>th</sup> PTA Disco
- TBC PTA Spring Treasure Hunt

## **April**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Production Year 3 & 4 – Bramshaw Village Hall
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Easter Service
- 4<sup>th</sup> Forest Thursday Oaks
- 5<sup>th</sup> Whole School Easter Service
- 5<sup>th</sup> Last Day of term – Easter Holiday 8<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> April
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Bank Holiday Monday
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Inset Day
- 26<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Pines
- 30<sup>th</sup> Class Photos

## **May**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Forest Friday Woodside
- 6<sup>th</sup> Bank Holiday Monday
- 10<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Hamptworth
- 13<sup>th</sup> SATS week 13-16<sup>th</sup>
- 17<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Brambles
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Big Story Day
- 24<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Langley
- 24<sup>th</sup> Last Day of term – Half term 27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> May



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## **June**

3<sup>rd</sup> Inset Day

5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Year 4 Residential

8<sup>th</sup> PTA Summer Fayre—Nomansland Green

10<sup>th</sup> Phonics Screening week

14<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Oaks

21<sup>st</sup> Forest Friday Pines

28<sup>th</sup> Sports Day

## **July**

2<sup>nd</sup> Production Year 5 & 6 – Bramshaw Village Hall

5<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday Woodside

9<sup>th</sup> Move Up afternoon

12<sup>th</sup> Forest Friday – Whole School

12<sup>th</sup> School Disco @ KS2

25<sup>th</sup> End of Year Service – Landford Village Hall 9am

25<sup>th</sup> Last Day of term